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SUBJECT: PETROLEUM: PROVEN RECOVERABLE RESERVES IN ECUADOR

SEVERAL U.S. GOVERNMENT AGENCIES HAVE DISSEMINATED INFORMATION IN RECENT MONTHS ESTIMATING ECUADOREAN PROVED RECOVERABLE PETROLEUM RESERVES AT 5.5 TO 6 BILLION BARRELS. THERE IS NO OFFICIAL GOE ESTIMATE OF THIS FIGURE; MINISTER OF NATURAL RESOURCES JARRIN HAS STATED THAT THE GOE WILL NOT MAKE PUBLIC THE RESULTS OF CONSULTING FIRM TERRAMAR REPORT ON RESERVES AND APPROPRIATE PRODUCTION RATES. EMBASSY'S BEST CURRENT ESTIMATE, BASED ON RELIABLE COMPANY AND GOVERNMENT SOURCES, IS 1.5 BILLION BARRELS. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT.
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